

Subject Civics Education

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## Overview

This bill requires students to complete one credit of civics in 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade to graduate from high school, and repeals the requirement that students answer 30 of 50 civics test questions.

## Summary

Section	Description
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| 1 | <b>Required academic standards.</b><br>Strikes reference to section that is repealed in section 3.   |
| 2 | <b>Graduation requirements.</b><br>Requires 3.5 credits of social studies required for graduation to include one credit in civics in 11 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> grade for students beginning 9 <sup>th</sup> grade in the 2024-2025 school year. Strikes encouragement that districts offer a course for credit in government and citizenship to 11 <sup>th</sup> or 12 <sup>th</sup> graders. |
| 3 | <b>Repealer.</b><br>Repeals section 120B.02, subdivision 3 (requirement that students answer 50 civics test questions to graduate from high school).   |